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**M.Phil . SOCIOLOGY**  
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Sl.No	Papers	Marks
1.	<b>Research Methodology: Quantitative Techniques, Computers</b>	<b>100</b>
2.	<b>Contemporary Indian Social Problems</b>	<b>100</b>
3.	<b>Gender and Society</b>	<b>100</b>
4.	<b>Seminar based theory</b>	<b>50</b>
5.	<b>Dissertation</b>	
	<b>a. Seminar based Dissertation</b>	<b>50</b>
	<b>b. Script,writing</b>	<b>75</b>
	<b>c. Viva-Voce</b>	<b>25</b>
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>500</b>

**PAPER – I: Research Methodology: Quantitative Techniques, Computer**

Unit I. Science and Social Science Research

- a) Nature of Science, Scientism as a process of Science, Ideal v/s Reality
- b) Methodological approaches to social world; Values, Science and Sociology, Ethics in Social Research.

Unit II. Logic of Scientific Reasoning

- a) Elements of Logic and Reasoning; Terms, Propositions and Arguments
- b) Deductive and Inductive reasoning.

Unit III. Formulation of Research proposal

- a) Formulations of Research Problems
- b) Monitoring and Evaluation.

Unit IV. Statistical Tools, Quantification and Interpretation

- a) Mean, Median, Mode, Standard Deviation, Correlation, Chi-Square
- b) Data Processing : Interpretation and drawing of conclusions,

Unit V. Computer:

- a) Organization and Working of a computer – Hardware: RAM, ROM, PROM, EPROM, EEPROM, primary and secondary data storage, Software: operating systems – Windows-Ward, Power Point, Excel

- b)Internet and Social Science Information :Advantages of networking and Internet, E-Mail, World Wide Web, Browsing, Search Engines, Important Social Science Portals

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2. Singleton Royve Jr. Straits, Margeret M. Mc Allister,
3. Ronald J.1988: Approaches to Social Research, Oxford University Press,
4. Godde I. William, J. and Hall, Paul K.1952, Methods In Social Research, M Kogakusha Ltd. Tokyo.
5. Mukherji, Parthanath. 2000. Methodology in Social Research, Dilemmas and Perspectives, Sage Publication.
6. Madge, John.1953. Tools of Social Science, Longman Group Ltd. London.
7. Bailey, K.D. Methodology of Social Research, Free Press, New York.
- 8.Timothy, J and Linda O'Leary: Micro computing, New York: McGraw-Hill,1995
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Marks-100

**PAPER-II: Contemporary Indian Social Problems**

Unit I. Tribal India

- a. Disruption Tribal Economy, Vulnerability and Loss of Livelihoods
- b. Protest Movements: Naxal Movement and Counter Movement

Unit II. Rural India

- a. Agricultural and Educational Backwardness and Response of the State
- b) Vulnerability, Farmers Suicide, Distressed Migration

Unit III. Urban India

- a) Over- crowdedness, Crimes, Ethnic and Linguistic Divide
- b) Slums, Environmental Degradation,

Unit IV. Development Based Issues

- a) Displacement, Human Rights, Social Exclusion and Sustainability
- b) Response of the State-RTI, NREGA, NRHM, Inclusive Policies

Unit V. Problems of Senior Citizens of India.

- a. Gerontological Problems-Social, Economic, Psychological and Health
- b. Response of the Community, Family , State and Civil Society

References:

1. Journal of the National Human Rights Commission, India, Vol.1, 2002, New Delhi-110001.
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3. G.R. Madan, Indian Social Problems, Vol, I Allied Publishers Pvt, Ltd, New Delhi.
4. V.S.Katyar Environmental Concerns: Depleting Resource and Sustainable Development, Aviskar Publishing's Distributors, Jaipur
5. R.N.Pati and B. Jena (ed) Aged in India. Ashish Publication House, New Delhi.
6. The state of Indian Environment II Centre for Science and Environment. New Delhi

7. Rogers, John J.W & P.G.,1998, People and The Earth Barie Issues in the Sustainable of Resource and Environment, Cambridge University

Marks-100

### **PAPER-III:GENDER AND SOCIETY**

#### Unit-I: Social Construction of Gender and Emergence of Women's Studies

- a. Gender Vs. Biology, Equality Vs. Difference, Women in the Family: Socialization, Nature Vs. Culture, Gender Roles
- b. Patriarchy as Ideology and Practice, Emergence of Women's Studies

#### Unit-II: Theories on Feminism

- a. Feminist Liberalism, Feminist Essentialism
- b. Feminist Socialist, Feminist Post-modernist

#### Unit-III: Gender and Society in India

- a. Economy: Marginalisation of women and Sexual Division of Labor, Polity: Reservation of Women
- b. Religion and Culture: Women as Repositories of cultural practices and Traditions, Marriage, Dowry and Property, Health and Education: problems women Encounter.

#### Unit-IV: Contemporary situation of women in India

- a. Constitutional provisions and National Policy on Women Empowerment
- b. Women Welfare Organizations and Agencies

#### Unit-V: Women in the Era of Globalization

- a Impact of Liberalization and Globalization on Women,
- b Women's Movements

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1. Altekar, A.S. 1983 The Position of Women in Hindu Civilization Motilal Banarasidas, New Delhi
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3. Dube, L et al (ed) 1986 Visibility and power: Essays on women in Society and Development , Oxford, New Delhi.
4. Mc Cormack, C and Strathern, M (ed) 1980 Nature, culture and Gender Cambridge Univ. Press, London
5. Myers, K.A. et al (ed) 1998 Feminist Foundations: towards Transforming Sociology. Sage, New Delhi.
6. Mills, M. 1980 Indian Women and patriarchy: conflicts and Dilemmas of Students and Working Women Concept, New Delhi.
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